

Vori language

Vori (also called **Surubu** or **Skrubu**) is a Kainji language of Nigeria.

Roger Blench (2016)^[4] reported that the people referred to as *Surubu* in the present literature are called *Vori*. Their main centre is the town of Geshere, which is west of Mariri on the Lere road. The Vori live in 32 settlements, and there are about 50,000 to 70,000 speakers.

Bina, another undocumented language, is spoken nearby.

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Vori	
Surubu	
<i>TiVori</i>	
Native to	Nigeria
Region	Kaduna State
Native speakers	7,200 (2000) ^[1]
Language family	Niger–Congo <ul style="list-style-type: none">Atlantic–Congo<ul style="list-style-type: none">Benue–Congo<ul style="list-style-type: none">Kainji<ul style="list-style-type: none">East Kainji<ul style="list-style-type: none">Vori

Language codes	
ISO 639-3	sde
Glottolog	suru1258 (http://glottolog.org/resource/lan guoid/id/suru1258) ^[2]

Vori ^[3]	
Person	PiVori
People	AVori
Language	TiVori

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